

Product Name: Miracle-Gro® Garden Soil For Trees, Shrubs and Ornamentals Plus Plant Food 0.10-0.05-0.10 with 0.10% Iron

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WHMIS Protective Clothing TDG Road / Rail



None required for normal use.



Not Regulated

Section 1: Product and Company Information

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0.10% Iron

Product Use: Garden Soil

MSDS Record Number/

**Product Code:** 

72351

Synonyms: Not available

<u>Chemical Family:</u> Not applicable

<u>WHMIS Classification:</u> This product exempt from WHMIS classification.

TDG Classification: Not regulated

Manufacturer: Scotts Canada Ltd.

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Same as Manufacturer

**Emergency Telephone:** Medical Emergencies: 1-888-779-7919

Accident and Spill Emergencies: Canutec 1-613-996-6666

Section 2: Composition and Ingredient Information

Common Name	Chemical Name	CAS No.	<u>Wt.%</u>
No Hazardous Ingredients by WHMIS Criteria			

Note: See Section 8 of this MSDS for exposure limit data.



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Section 3: Hazards Identification

Appearance, Colour and Odour: Brown, fibrous mixture with an earthy odour.

<u>Primary Route(s) of Exposure:</u> Eye, Skin, Inhalation, Ingestion

**POTENTIAL HEALTH EFFECTS:** 

ACUTE (short term): See Section 8 for exposure controls

Eye: Contact with the eyes may cause irritation by mechanical action.

Skin: Contact with the skin may cause irritation by mechanical action.

Inhalation: Dusts of this product may cause irritation of the respiratory system.

Ingestion: Ingestion of large amounts may cause gastro-intestinal discomfort.

**CHRONIC (long term):** (see Section 11 for additional toxicological data)

None known.

Medical Conditions

Aggravated by Exposure:

Not applicable

Section 4: First Aid Measures

<u>Inhalation:</u> If inhaled, move to fresh air. If respiratory difficulty occurs or persists, obtain medical attention.

Eye Contact: If in eyes, splash repeatedly with plenty of clean water. If irritation persists, obtain medical attention.

Skin Contact: If on skin, brush away excess material and wash with soap and water.

Ingestion: Do not induce vomiting. Rinse mouth with water, then drink one glass of water. If gastro-intestinal

discomfort occurs, obtain medical attention.

Section 5: Fire Fighting Measures

Flash Point and Method (°C): Not applicable.

Flammability Limits (%): Not applicable

Auto Ignition Temperature (°C): Not applicable

**Extinguishing Media:** Use extinguishing media appropriate for the surrounding fire. Dry chemical, water spray, chemical

foam, carbon dioxide, water fog.

**Unusual Fire and Explosion** 

Hazards:

Sensitivity to Mechanical Impact: Not applicable

Sensitivity to Static Discharge: Not applicable

Fire Fighting Instructions: Firefighters should wear full protective gear including self-contained breathing apparatus.

This product will burn. Burning may continue inside the bags of this product. After extinguishing the

surface fire, separate the pile and break apart the bags to ensure that the fire is extinguished.

**Hazardous Combustion** 

**Products:** 

Combustion or thermal decomposition of this product may produce irritating and toxic gases.

Decomposition products may include CO, CO<sub>2</sub>, and dense smoke.



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Section 6: Accidental Release Measures

Air Release: Not available

<u>Land Spill:</u> Scoop or sweep up spills of this product. Wash the area with water.

Water Spill: Not available

Section 7: Handling and Storage

Storage Conditions: Store in a dry location.

Handling Precautions:

Avoid contact with eyes and breathing dust.

General:

No special handling or storage requirements.

Section 8: Exposure Controls and Personal Protection

<u>Ingredient</u>	Ontario TWAEV (mg/m³)	ACGIH TLV (8-hr. TWA) (mg/m³)	<u>U.S. OSHA PEL</u> (8-hr. TWA) (mg/m³)
Nuisance Particulates (inhalable)	10	15 (total dust)	15 (total dust)

Engineering Controls: General ventilation normally adequate.

**Personal Protection:** 

Respiratory Protection: Not normally required. In workplaces where airborne dust levels exceed exposure limits,

wear an approved dust mask.

Skin Protection: Not normally required. Wearing gardening gloves is recommended.

Eye Protection: Not normally required. Wear protective goggles in workplaces where airborne dust levels

cause eye irritation.

Work/Hygienic Practices: Prevent the generation of airborne dust.

Section 9: Physical and Chemical Properties

Physical State: Solid

Appearance: Brown, fibrous mixture

**Odour Type:** Earthy odour Not available **Odour Threshold:** 6.0-6.5 <u>pH:</u> Specific Gravity: (water = 1) Not available Not applicable **Boiling Point: Freezing Point:** Not applicable Viscosity: Not applicable Vapor Pressure: (mm Hg @ 20°C) Not applicable Vapor Density: (Air = 1) Not applicable

Solubility in Water: Contains some soluble salts.

Water / Oil distribution coefficient: Not applicable
Evaporation Rate: (n-Butyl Acetate = 1) Not applicable



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Section 10: Stability and Reactivity

Stability: Stable

Incompatible Materials and Conditions to Avoid:

None known

**Hazardous Decomposition** 

**Products:** 

Combustion produces irritating and toxic gases similar to products of combustion from wood and other

vegetative matter.

Hazardous Polymerization: Will not occur.

### Section 11: Toxicological Information

<u>Product</u>	<u>LD<sub>50</sub> Oral</u>	<u>LD<sub>50</sub> Dermal</u>	<u>LC<sub>50</sub> Inhalation</u>
	(mg/kg)	(mg/kg)	(ppm, 4 hrs.)
Not applicable			

Irritancy: Direct contact is irritating to the eye. May be irritating to skin. Dusts may be irritating to the respiratory

system.

Not applicable

Sensitization: Not applicable

Mutagenicity: Not applicable

Teratogenicity: Not applicable

Reproductive Effects: Not applicable

<u>Toxicologically</u>

Synergistic Products:

<u>Carcinogenicity:</u> The table below indicates whether or not each agency has listed each ingredient as a carcinogen.

<u>Ingredient</u>	<u>ACGIH</u>	IARC	<u>NTP</u>
Product	Not listed	Not listed	Not listed

ACGIH: (American Conference of Governmental Industrial Hygienists)

IARC: (International Agency for Research on Cancer)

NTP: (National Toxicity Program)

## Section 12: Ecological Information

No adverse ecological effects are expected. Prevent release of this product into waterways.

# Section 13: Disposal Considerations

Ontario Regulation 347: Not applicable

Other: Discard the empty container in household garbage. Follow municipal or provincial regulations where they

apply.



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Section 14: Transport Information

Canadian Transportation of Dangerous Goods (TDG): Not regulated

U.S. Hazardous Materials Regulation (DOT 49CFR): Not regulated

IMO Classification: Not regulated

Marine Pollutants: Not regulated

ICAO/IATA Classification: Not regulated

Section 15: Regulatory Information

NSNR Status (Canada: New Substance Notification

Regulations):

All ingredients are listed, as required, on the Domestic Substances List

(DSL)

WHMIS (Canada: Workplace Hazardous Materials Information System):

Status: Not Controlled

WHMIS Classifications: Exempt

NPRI Substances (Canada: National Pollutant Release

Inventory):

Ontario Reg. 127:

There are no NPRI reportable substances in this product.

There are no Reg. 127 reportable substances in this product.

TSCA Status (U.S. Toxic Substance Control Act):

All ingredients appear on the TSCA inventory.

Section 16: Other Information

NFPA Hazard Rating:

Acute Health	1
Flammability	0
Reactivity	0

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